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i. With regard to Representative Feighan's	
intention to publicize his version of the story about Rumanians buying	
their way to freedom, the consensus of Mr. Abba Schwartz (State).	
(Acting Attorney General), and myself was that nothing much could be done. However, finally decided to brief	25X1
Secretary Rusk and did so on Thursday evening. Secretary Rusk decided	
he would try to talk to Representative Feighan and take the position that	
if he, Representative Feighan, put out the story he must not indicate	
involvement of Federal funds, as none were involved, and he must not	
make charges of misfeasance by Federal servants, as no such misfeasance had taken place. In connection with the question on funds,	25X1
suggested that Secretary Rusk check with me. The Secretary called me	
about 7 p.m., and I assured him that our only interest in this Rumanian	
matter was that we got some useful intelligence from the people who got	
out but that we had no operation and our funds were not involved. I had	25X1
checked this specifically and carefully with and later with	23/1
Mr. Karamessines. Secretary Pusk thanked me. On checking with	
on Friday morning, he was not aware whether Secretary Rusk had been in touch with Mr. Feighan.	
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2. Delivered to Congressman Glen Lipscomb	
an unclassified paper prepared by on the military situation in	25X1
Cuba. I made it clear to Mr. Lipscomb that while the information was	
unclassified it should not be attributed to CIA since this would make the	
matter classified. Mr. Lipscomb understood the situation and was very	
appreciative of our assistance.	
3. Talked with Mr. William Dardon Senate Armed	
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Services Committee, and advised him of the announcement which would be made by the Department of State today on the defects:	25X1

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